OCCUPANCY AND USE And NATIONAL FOREST SYSTEM ROADS AND TRAILS OKANOGAN WENATCHEE NATIONAL FOREST

Pursuant to Title 36 CFR 261.50(a) and (b), the following acts are prohibited on designated portions of the National Forest System (NFS) roads, trails, and lands as shown on attached map and described below within the Okanogan and Wenatchee National Forests.

1. **To go into or be upon any area which is closed for the protection of public safety**. For the purpose of this order, this restriction prohibits entry onto National Forest System lands and includes all methods of travel on all roads and trails along the boundary and within the area described below: (36 CFR 261.53 (e)). This restriction is effective beginning July 24, 2015, and will remain in effect until rescinded or November 1, 2015 whichever is sooner.

Tonasket Ranger District Area Closure -Wildhorse Fire

- Closure begins at the junction of County Road 9480 and Forest Service Road 3525 (T40N, R28E, Sec. 34),
- Closure continues south and southwest along the Forest Service Road 3525 to the Forest Service Boundary in T39N, R28E,
 Sec. 21.
- Closure then turns west following the Forest Service Boundary, then turns north in T39N, R28E, Sec.24, then west again in T39N, R27E, Sec. 14..
- Closure then turns north following the Forest Service Boundary to T40N, R27E, Sec. 35,
- Closure then turns easterly along the Forest Service Boundary to the origin of the closure (T40N, R28E, Sec. 34).

Pursuant to 36 CFR 261.50(e), the following persons are exempt from this order:

- 1. Persons with a permit specifically authorizing the otherwise prohibited act or omission.
- Any Federal, State, or local officer, or member of an organized rescue or fire fighting force in the performance of official duty.

This prohibition is in addition to the general prohibitions in 36 CFR 261, Subpart A

Done at Wenatchee, Washington, this <u>23rd</u> day of July, 2015.

/s/ Michael R. Williams MICHAEL R. WILLIAMS Forest Supervisor Okanogan Wenatchee National Forest

Violation of this prohibition is punishable by a fine of not more than \$5,000.00 for an individual or \$10,000 for an organization, or imprisonment for not more than 6 months, or both. (Title 16 USC Section 551 and USC 3559 and 3571).